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1. ■ Fee Transmittal Form

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2. ■ Specification

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(preferred arrangement set forth below)Descriptive title of the Invention

- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

3. ■ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets /10 /]

4. Oath or Declaration

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- a. Newly executed (original or copy)
- b.
 Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))

 (for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)

 [Note Box 5 below]

i. □ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

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- b. □ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
- c. \square Statement verifying identity of above copies

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- 8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- 9. □ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement □ Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee)
- 10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- 11. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
- 12.

 □ Preliminary Amendment
- 13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)

14. ☐ Small Entity ☐ Statement filed in prior application,
Statement(s) Status still proper and desired

15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)

16. ■ Other: <u>check</u>

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